GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants - B.C.Welfare Department – Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Sri U.Samba Siva Rao, the then Hostel Welfare Officer, BC Boys Hostel, Kaikaluru (now rtd.) - Written Statement of Defence received - Inquiry conducted - Penalty of "withholding of 1% pension for a period of (1) year", under Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980 - Imposed - Orders - Issued.

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BACKWARD CLASSES WELFARE (D) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.34 **Dated:19-12-2024**

Read the following:

1. From the ABCWO, Gudiwada, Krishna District, Preliminary Inquiry report dt.25.12.2012.
2. Charge Memo.Rc.No.A1/133/2012, Dated:05.06.2013 of the District Collector, Krishna District.
3. Written statement of defense of Sri U.Sambasiva Rao, HWO, Dated:21.06.2013.
4. From the Joint Director, Social Welfare Dept., Krishna & Inquiry Officer, Inquiry report dt.05.10.2018.
5. From the Director, B.C.Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada Lr.Rc.No.E/464 /2019, Dt.19.10.2019.
6. Govt.Memo No. BCW01-BCC0HTLS(BCH)/4/2020-D,dt:27.02.2020.
7. From the Director of BC Welfare, Letter Rc.No.E/464/2019, dt.09.05.2022.
8. Govt.Memo No. BCW01-BCC0HTLS(BCH)/4/2020-D,dt:02.08.2022.
9. From the Director of BC Welfare, Letter Rc.No.E/464/2019, dt.17.10.2022.
10. Govt.Memo No. BCW01-BCC0HTLS(BCH)/4/2020-D,dt:15.11.2023.
11. Representation of Sri U.Sambasiva Rao, HWO(Rtd.), dt.01.12.2023.

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ORDER:-

Whereas certain charges were framed against Sri U.Samba Siva Rao, Hostel Welfare Officer, BC Boys Hostel, Kaikaluru (now rtd.) for certain irregularities committed by him in maintenance of the hostel, and wherein directed him to submit his written statement of defense on receipt of the order, as hereunder:

Article of Charge No.1 : That the said Sri U.Samba Siva Rao, Hostel Welfare Officer, BC Boys Hostel, Kaikaluru has left the station without intimation of prior permission of the Higher authorities from 24.12.2012 to 26.12.2012.

Article of Charge No.2 : That the said Sri U.Samba Siva Rao, Hostel Welfare Officer, BC Boys Hostel, Kaikaluru has locked the hostel (BC Boys Hostel, Kaikaluru) without informing to the superiors and which against the welfare department rules and he has failed to discharge his legitimate duties and responsibilities.

Article of Charge No.3 : That the said Sri U.Samba Siva Rao, Hostel Welfare Officer, BC Boys Hostel, Kaikaluru are not marked attendance to any of 62 boarders on roll from 23.12.2012 to 26.12.2012.

Article of Charge No.4 : That the said Sri U.Samba Siva Rao, Hostel Welfare Officer, BC Boys Hostel, Kaikaluru has not marked his initials / not granted leave on 48 leave letters which shows his negligence in duties.

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2. In reply, the Charged Officer i.e., Sri U.Samba Siva Rao, HWO has submitted his written statement of defense denying the charges framed against him, vide reference 3rd read above. Since the explanation of the Charged Officer has not been satisfied, the District Collector, Krishna has appointed the Joint Director, Social Welfare Dept., Krishna as inquiring authority to inquire into the charges framed against the Charged Officer above.

3. In the reference 4th read above, the Inquiry Officer i.e., Joint Director, Social Welfare Dept., Krishna, after conducting the regular inquiry, has submitted the inquiry report stating that out of above four (4) charges, charge No.1 is partly proved; charge No.2 & 3 are not held proved; and charge No.4 is held proved.

4. After careful examination of the inquiry report together with its connected records, the Government have provisionally decided to impose a penalty of "withholding of 1% pension for a period of (1) year" against the charged officer and issued a Show-Cause Notice to the Charged officer calling for his explanation vide reference 10th read above. In the reference 11th read above, the individual has submitted his explanation to the Show-Cause Notice and accepted the punishment proposed against him and requested to sanction his pension at an early date.

5. The Government have examined the case in detail, taking into consideration of the material on record, hereby order to impose the penalty of "withholding of 1% pension for a period of (1) year" against Sri U.Samba Siva Rao, HWO(Retired), under Rule 9 of A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

6. The Director of BC Welfare shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G ANANTHA RAMU
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri U.Samba Siva Rao, HWO(Retired).
(through the Director of BC Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada).
The Director of BC Welfare, A.P., Vijayawada.

Copy to:
The AP Vigilance Commission, Vijayawada.
The District Collector, Krishna.
The Accountant General, AP.
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SECTION OFFICER